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In re Application of:)
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Application No.: Unassigned) Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Filed: Concurrently Herewith)
For: COLOR DISPLAY ELEMENT,)
METHOD FOR DRIVING COLOR)
DISPLAY ELEMENT, AND)
DISPLAY APPARATUS HAVING)
COLOR DISPLAY ELEMENT) April 21, 2005

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the foreign patents are enclosed, along with an English language Abstract for each. For the Examiner's convenience, a copy of an International Search Report in which these documents were cited, along with, a copy of an International Preliminary Examination Report and a PCT Written Opinion, are also provided.

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Applicants respectfully request that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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